GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SHIPPING
LOK SABHA

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Maritime Projects
M. Smt. Vasanthi

Will the Minister of SHIPPING be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government proposes to take up maritime projects overseas;
(b) if so, the details and the objectives thereof;
(c) whether the Government has signed MoU with any coastal companies in this regard;
and
(d) if so, the details thereof, countrywise?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SHIPPING
(SHRI PON. RADHAKRISHNAN)

(a)&(b):Yes, Madam. To fulfill the objective of taking up projects overseas, India Ports Global Pvt. Ltd. has been established in 2015 with equity contribution from Jawaharlal Nehru Port and Kandla Port Trusts. An agreement was signed by India Ports Global Pvt. Ltd with Aria Banader, Iranian a Private Company in Iran on 23.05.2016 for equipping and operating of Container Terminal and Multipurpose Terminals in Phase I of development plan of Chabahar-Shahid Behesti Port in the Islamic Republic of Iran.

(c) The Government of India has not signed any MoU with Coastal companies overseas.
(d) Does not arise.

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